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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend this application prior to receipt of an office action as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Add new Claim 16 as follows:

16. Apparatus for remotely controlling the position of a camera head, said apparatus comprising, in combination:

a) at least one positioner having an output shaft;
b) the angular displacement of said shaft being responsive to pressure transmitted through a pair of lines coupled thereto;

c) means for coupling said camera head to said at least